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ACCOMPLISHED CATS.

A company of educated cats has been performing lately in Paris, and it has become very fashionable to go and see them. The dramatic critic of the Journal des Debats. Jules Lemaitre, "consecrates

an article to the feline acrobats.' He declares that the cats are "simply

The next day he was sun serions complaints about you in relation to the sentries. One of them has report-ed that in the middle of the night you ced that in the middle of the night you came out of your tent and abused him in the most dreadful manuer. He said you made him swallow a drink which must have been poison." The guard had been relieved while the surgeon was compounding his mixtures and he had cured the wrong man

Ancient Thanksgiving Days.

Table Table.

Thanksgiving day was suggested, doubtless, by the Hebrew feast of the taberhadea, or "feast of ingathering at the end of the year." Its history in America begins as early as 1621. The occasional observer of such a day, formally recommended by the civil authorities, was not unusual in Europe at an earlier date. In Holland the first anniversary of the deliverance of the city of Leyden from the siege, October 3, 1575, was kept as a religious festival of thanksgiving and praise. In the English church service, the fifth of November is so celebrated, in commemoration of the discovery of the gun-powder plot.

One of the most remarkable thanksgiving customs on record prevailed in

giving customs on record prevailed in Southampton and Easthampton, Long Level Montank Point, which consists

1 19,000 acres, we so wined by name a common pasturage for stock. The time of driving the herds tome to winter was fixed at a meeting of the council, "and it came," says the historian, "to be a rule from the period beyond which the memory of man runneth not, that the Thursday of the week following the return of the cattle from Montauk should be observed as a day of thanks-giving."

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At an early period of New England history, certain periods of prosperity were often made the occasions of public thankestivings, or feasts, and often a day of fasting and prayer was turned into a day of fankestiving by what seemed an immediate answer to their prayers. Perhaps, to recall to our minds the first Thankestiving of the Fligrim Fathers may put us to the blush. Often on this day have I heard such remarks as "I have no thanks to give; I have nothing for which to be thankful," from lips that it would seem might have had a life's work in framing words of praise and gratitude, so blessed were they in the health of themselves and their dear oncs, while for some fancled trouble this great good was quite overlooked.

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An Explanation.

What is this "nervous trouble" with which so many seem now to be afflicted? If you will remember a few years ago

Beware of levity and familiarity with young men; a modest reserve, without affectaion, is the only safe path. Court and encourage conversation with those who are truly serious and conversable; do not go into valuable company without endeavoring to improve by the intercourse permitted to you.

Nothing is more unbecoming, when one part of a company is engaged in profitable conversation, than that another part should be trifling, giggling and talking comparative nonsense to

talking comparative nonsense to

A Young Woman Mail Carrier.

her duty. On one of her trips last year she found three good-sized bears in the road right in front of her. The horse on espying them became frightened, three his rider to the ground, and turning around ran back the road he came. Wiss Westman, with great presence of mind, started after the runaway, and

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FINANCE AND TRADE.

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The fluctuations were very narrow and the vo-ume of business small, but all through ther

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an article to the feline acrobats."

He declares that the cats are "simply delicious." They not merely walk on the tops of a row of slender bottles, and so in and out of the bar and arms of a row of chairs, but they do these things with an ease and grace which other performers never display.

They climb a mast so high that its top is among the flies of the stage, and walk a cord stretched to another mast, which they descend like so many little men. They are brave, also, and leap through hoops of fire; nor less amiable, since they pass by beautiful rats, fat and large, without offering to molest them. Their "professor" even places a fine rat upon the neck of one of them, and she carries it gracefully along.

These learned cats have the thoroughbred air in perfection. There is nothing cringing or servile in their obedience, and if they feel that their professor is working them too hard, they will take a rest.

One of their acts is to spring from little platforms placed two yards apart, each platform being about as large as a dimer-plate. The cats leap from the wand then, one of them will take a seat upon a platform, lick her paws and wash her face with the greatest deliberation. They show not the least fear of their professor, unlike the learned dogs and the trained steeds of the circus.

Other learned animals show themselves capable of what the French call cabotingae, that is, strutting and posing like a strolling player, too conscious of the spectators. A harnessed horse is not insensible to the beauty of his not insensible to make the produced by the applause he receives. A least he looks as if he were. The peacock, the turkey, the goose, the dog, seem capa

Looks as if he were. The pencock, the turkey, the goose, the dog, seem capable of ecstatic vanity.

These learned cats are entirely incapable of such weakness. They go through their performance regardless of the spectators, doing everything with apparent willingness, and even with joyful alacrity.

THE SURGEON AND THE SENTRY.

The Former Got Into Trouble Because he Cured the Wrong Man.

An army surgeon was one night annoyed by the coughing of the sentry

decided that something must be done for the man, and so compounded him a strong and very disagreeable dose of medicine. Then, going out, he ordered the man to take it. The sentry refused at first politely, and afterwards angrily and emphatically. But the surgeon sternly insisted upon his rights and the man was finally induced to swallow the compound.

The result was evidently carred.

An African tribe is governed by a der who has no tongue. He is no only the King, but the King dumb.

Brace Up.

You are feeling depressed, your appetite is poor, you are bothered with headache, you are fidgetty, nervous, and generally out of sorts, and want to brace up. Brace up, but not with stimulants, spring medicines, or bitters, which have for their basis very cheap, bad whisky, and which stimulate you for an hour, and then leave you in worse condition than before. What you want is an alterative that will purify your blood, start healthy action of liver and kidneys, restore your vitality, and give renewed health and strength. Sach a medicine you will find in Electric Bitters, and only 50 cents a bottle at Logan & Co.'s drug store. in Electric Bitters, and only 50 cents a bottle at Logan & Co.'s drug store. 3

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health of themselves and their dear ones, while for some fancied trouble this great good was quite overlooked.

To Girls.

Be cheerful, but not gigglers; serious, but not dull; be communicative, but not forward; be kind, but not servile. Beware of silly, thoughtless speeches; although yon may forget them, others will not. Remember God's eye is in every company.

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Miss Westman is a plump little brunette and is twenty years old. Her father and uncle operate a stage line, and have a contract for carrying the mail. At Hale's station Minnie meets be rather and gets the mail from Eugene City and starts on her round.

Minnie Westman has never met with a serious accident in the performance of

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of mind, started after the ronaway, and overtaking him, remounted and rode right through the savage cordon, and, strange to say, she was not attacked. Meeting some friends, she told them of what she had seen, and they went to the place and killed the bears. So far this year Miss Westman has met two bears, which did not molest her.

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